

Editorial Comment

After a deadlock lasting since Jan. 8, the Illinois House was organized Wednesday night, by the election of William McKinley, Democrat, as Speaker on the 76th ballot. He was elected by a combination of 46 Republicans, 36 Democrats and 1 Progressive. It is charged that the deal involves the three senatorships. Gov. Dunne will be inaugurated today.

Representative Thomas, of the Third District, has introduced a bill to erect a \$2,000 monument to a Warren county boy who blew out the gas. Nothing, however, is proposed for another of his constituents who bought a gold brick several years ago.

A "man dance" was given at Wellesley College Wednesday night, one of the rules being that all couples must dance three inches apart with no "surreptitious squeezing."

Mrs. Delia Kitts, aged 71, married an 18-year-old boy named Manford Nelson, at Fullerton, Ky. The bride has been married three times and is the mother of 18 children.

The woman are planning to make the suffrage parade at Washington March 3 the greatest demonstration in the female suffrage movement that has ever occurred.

Tennessee and Arkansas send greetings to each other. One sends a College professor and the other a Baseball president to the Senate for thirty days.

Gov. Joseph T. Robinson was elected Senator from Arkansas for the long term, beginning March 4. A new election for Governor will be necessary.

Senator J. N. Heiskell, of Arkansas, retired yesterday after serving 10 days, to give way to Senator W. M. Kavanaugh, who will serve till Mar. 4.

Recent slides of earth and rock into the Culebra cut of the Panama Canal are causing much delay in the work.

Gen. James H. Berry, former Senator and Governor of Arkansas, died Thursday at his home in Bentonville, Ark.

A mad-dog's head was sent by parcels post to the Pasteur's institute at Chicago for analysis.

A chafing-dish exploded at Bloomington, Ind., and injured three girls in a female college.

A final decision shuts out Cipriano Castro from the United States as a visitor.

Nevada shows up with a new Democratic Senator, Key Pittman.

The New Hampshire deadlock still continues in the senatorial election.

Crude oil has gone up to \$2.16 a barrel, the highest price since 1895.

Will the Senator from Arkansas please "play ball."

To-morrow is Groundhog Day.

SARAH BERNHARDT

In La Tosca, at the Rex Next Monday.

Don't forget that you will have a chance of seeing the great Bernhardt in shadow at The Rex Theatre next Monday. Get a synopsis of the great tragedy at the theatre if you want to enjoy the pictures to the fullest.

Park Plans Ready.

Preliminary plans for Virginia Park's improvements, prepared by Olmsted Bros., of Brookline, Mass., one of the most noted firms of landscape architects in the country, are expected in a day or two. The plans were mailed yesterday. Upon their arrival the Committee will at once meet to begin the work.

STUPENDOUS MISSION GIFTS.

Largest Requests On Record Given To Baptists Of England

NEARLY \$5,000,000 WILLED.

John D. Rockefeller Also Gives Another Large Sum.

New York, Jan. 31.—One of the largest bequests ever made for missionary work is disclosed in an appraisal of the estate of Robert Arthington of England, which was filed with the Surrogate's Court yesterday. Although the value of the entire estate is not given, the personal property alone is appraised at \$4,592,000, practically all of which is left to two London missionary societies, the Baptist Missionary Society and the London Missionary Society. The will directs that the money be used for "Giving to every tribe of mankind that has not, and which speaks a language distinct from all others, accurate and faithful copies of at least the Gospel of St. John and the Gospel of St. Luke; together with the book of the Acts of the Apostles, printed in the language of that tribe."

\$1,000,000 From Rockefeller.

New York, Jan. 29.—John D. Rockefeller sent word yesterday to the American Baptist Home Mission Society that he would give \$100,000 to a \$3,000,000 campaign committee, if, by April 1 next, certain conditions were complied with.

ADMITTED TO BAR.

The many friends of John M. Gate, who is now a student in Vanderbilt University, will be glad to learn that he successfully stood an examination before the state board of law examiners for Tennessee, and is now eligible to practice law in that State. He will receive his diploma from Vanderbilt next June.

A MERRY ATTRACTION AT HOLLAND'S OPERA HOUSE.

In "The Girl, The Man, and The Game" which is looked for Wednesday, February 5.



This will be a play packed full of songs and laughter. The plot is pure farce, and interspersed among the many ludicrous situations are many songs which have the life and go that make them instantly popular. Billy (Single) Clifford, the star of the play, and one who is one of the popular entertainers upon the American stage, is the singer of many of them among which are: "On the First Dark Night Next Week," "Hands Up," The famous Billy song, "I Want a Berth for Bertha," "That Was All, Nothing More," "Texas Tommy's Dance," "Beautiful Love," "Clifford Dream Waltz," "Mine," "Rose Marie," "I Want a Girl," "Home Run Bill," "Winnie From Winnipeg," and many others equally tuneful and catchy.

Billy is surrounded by an excellent company headed by Miss Mae Collins, who assumes the role of "The Girl," Jack Trainor, who is "The Cause" of "The Game." A clever prima donna in the person of Miss Marie Welter, Bud Brannan, Edward C. Clifford, Lol Marlowe and a host of others including his Famous All Girls Beauty Chorus.

The scenic and electric effects are beautiful and dazzling, while the costuming is bright, clean and gorgeous.

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COLUMBUS BALL TEAM

Thirty Strong Will Be Here March 30 For Spring Practice.

QUARTERS AT HOTEL LATHAM

Committee Here Yesterday And Closed A Deal For Mercer Park.

A delegation of officials from the Columbus, Ohio, baseball team, American Association, visited the city yesterday and closed a trade for the use of Mercer Park for spring practice. They will come March 4 with 30 men, and be quartered at Hotel Latham.

SUIT FOR DAMAGES

Plaintiff Alleges Loss of Nine Acres of Clover.

Suit for \$250, alleged damages, has been filed against the Illinois Central Railroad Company by Mr. John Young. The plaintiff states in his petition that through the carelessness and negligence of the company's agents operating a train one day in November last, sparks and cinders from a locomotive ignited clover on his farm lying along the track and nine acres were destroyed.

JUDGE WATKINS

Police Judge of Gracey, Died Thursday.

Hazekiah T. Watkins, Police Judge of Gracey, died last Thursday, in the 77th year of his age. He is survived by one son, Mr. Gipp Watkins and one daughter, Mrs. E. J. Wall. He was buried yesterday in the cemetery of Mt. Zion Church, in Frigg county. The deceased was a highly respected citizen, a member of the Methodist church and a Mason.

NIGHT OF HORRORS

For the Flood Sufferers On The Ohio and Green Rivers.

MANY LIVES ENDANGERED.

Storm Thursday Night Brought New Dangers and Horrors.

Henderson, Ky., Jan. 31.—With the wind blowing a gale and the rain falling in sheets, last night was another night of horror for flood sufferers marooned in their homes along the Ohio and Green rivers.

At midnight the wind was blowing at the rate of thirty miles an hour. Whitecaps twenty feet high rolled in the river. The force of the wind and these mighty waves against frail river bottom tenant cabins may have caused several to topple into the water, drowning the occupants.

Marooned flood sufferers have been fortunate with their many losses, as there has been only two real windy nights since their homes have been surrounded by rushing waters.

Local Paragraphs.

County Court next Monday.

One month of the new year gone. Only 8 marriage licenses were issued during the month of January. The Fiscal Court meets in regular monthly session next Tuesday.

Jailer Mullens has 22 boarders. 8 or 10 of them are being held subject to the action of the next grand jury. A game warden for Christian county has not yet been appointed, but the vacancy is expected to be filled in a few days.

Nine people were buried in Riverside Cemetery during the month of January. Only four of them died in the city.

Next Monday is the day for Sheriff Johnson to sell real estate for unpaid taxes. Look at the list published today in this paper and see whether your name is in it.

About 50 people went to Clarksville yesterday on a special Tennessee train to see "The Bohemian Girl" played.

The public Service Company is not only furnishing its patrons much better gas, but it is putting in a new plant for still better service.

Now that congress has taken the initial step in heading off the Brazil coffee trust, there is some hope that one can afford some day to drink as much coffee as he used to.

"The Bohemian Girl" show people, who played in Paducah Thursday night passed through here on their way to Clarksville at 11:45 yesterday morning. The train backed up to the I. C. siding and the crowd at the station got a sight of the players.

The prettiest car that has yet been brought to the city can be seen in the display room of the Cadillac Co., in the new block on South Main. It was ordered for a young lady of the city. It is a taxicab and is the first of its kind here.

Mrs. M. L. Elb and Mrs. S. Sacks have gone to Hot Springs, Ark., to spend several weeks.

Armistice Is Ended.

The Balkan Allies Thursday renounced the armistice with Turkey and will renew the bombardment of Adrianople at 7 o'clock Monday night. The Powers hope to avert hostilities, as Turkey has offered to divide Adrianople with Bulgaria and place the Aegean Islands in the hands of the Powers.

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Senator A. B. Fall, Republican,
 was re-elected in New Mexico.

Dr. Lester Jones, of Culpeper,
 Va., will march in the inaugural
 parade with a pack of fox hounds
 he claims are the finest in America.

A Seattle Judge has decided that
 a man and his wife ought not to sit
 on the same jury, the intimation
 being that the wife would have two
 votes.

The finest memorial structure ever
 erected to a human being will be
 built on the north bank of the Potomac
 river, opposite Arlington, to
 honor Abraham Lincoln. It will be
 built entirely of marble.

Miss Martha Bowers, a visitor to
 Miss Helen Taft, was thrown from a
 horse while the young ladies were
 riding, and seriously but not fatally
 injured. One arm was broken.
 The horse ran against a street car
 and was killed.

Cockerels For Sale.

Several fine Barred Plymouth Rock
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Advertisement.

Monument to Lester Bryant.

Plans are on foot in Warren county
 to build a monument to Lester
 Bryant, the champion boy cow-
 grower of Kentucky, who lost his
 life recently in Washington from
 asphyxiation. Popular subscription
 will be sought and school children
 will be asked to take a hand in help-
 ing.

Delaware Helped Some.

With the election of Willard Sauls-
 burg as United States Senator from
 Delaware, the Democratic strength
 in the next Senate swing from the
 precarious figure of forty-eight, or
 exactly one-half of the Senate, to the
 safer total of forty-nine, a majority
 of two.

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 Humane burglars broke into the
 shooting box of M. Lindet, president
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 place carefully destroyed traps and
 snares for animals which they found
 there. On a wall where the traps had
 been hanging they scrawled the
 words: "Be kind to animals or else
 we will return."

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TROUBLE AT WOMAN'S CLUB

Assertion That Husband Put on Shirt
 With One Sleeve Right Side
 Out Started Fuss.

"My husband did the foolishest
 thing this morning you ever heard of.
 When he got up he put on his shirt
 with one sleeve right side out and the
 other wrong side out."

"One sleeve wrong side out and the
 other—why, Mrs. Jipes, he couldn't
 possibly have done such a thing as
 that."

"Why not?"

"It's a physical impossibility."

"But I saw him do it."

"You thought you did, but—"

"Well, like that! Dispute my word."

"Do you? I'll let you know—"

"Say, Mrs. Glimmer, do you think
 anybody could put on a shirt with one
 sleeve right side out and the other
 wrong side out?"

"He might if it was made that way;
 not otherwise."

"What did I tell you, Mrs. J—"

"That doesn't settle it, Mrs. Skim-
 merhorn. Say, Mrs. Bilby, do you see
 anything absurd in the idea that a
 man can put his shirt on with one
 sleeve wrong side out and the other
 right side out?"

"Yes."

"I don't see how he could, Mrs.
 Jipes."

"Well, I saw my husband do it.
 Mrs. Carstone, you believe me, don't
 you?"

"Of course I do. There's nothing
 absurd about that."

"There! Perhaps you'll—"

"That doesn't decide it. Look here,
 Mrs. Hankins, did you ever see any-
 body wearing a shirt with one sleeve
 right side out and the other wrong
 side out?"

"I never did, Mrs. Skimmerhorn,
 but if Mrs. Jipes says so I've no reason
 to—"

"Did you, Mrs. Winters?"

"No, nor anybody else."

"So! Think I'm telling a falsehood,
 do you?"

"I didn't say so, Mrs. Jipes, but it's
 so perfectly absurd, so manifestly im-
 possible, that—"

"Cat! I'll—"

(Here the gavel fell.)

"Ladies, if you please, we will re-
 sume the consideration of the ques-
 tion pertaining to changing the hour
 of meeting. A motion will be in or-
 der."

What She Meant.

"So you think I smoke too much?"

he asks just to keep up a conversa-
 tion that seemed to be languishing.

"Not at all," she answered, not
 very skillfully concealing a yawn.

"You said you thought so."

"Pardon me. I don't think you are
 smoking too much."

"Didn't you say that I'd die if I
 didn't cut it down?"

"Yes, that's what I said."

It took him a long time to get it,
 and then he was quite angry.

TWO VIEWS.



She—I just love a good skate.
 He—Yes, I would, too, if it wasn't
 for the morning after.

Not Suited.

"You refused the earl, Amalle,
 dear?"

Young Widow—He's too old for me.

"But his title?"

"That's too new for me!"

His Policy.

"A doctor works on the reciprocity
 plan."

"How so?"

"Whenever he pays visits, he makes
 visits pay him."

His Motto.

"How do you stand on the income
 tax question?"

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 or city was vastly more economical
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 official figures to prove their claims;
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 pert accountants to overhaul the
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 ity for corporation affairs. Why not
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 nual report of your state, city or
 town and see what you can make out
 of it.

STAMP COST MAN HIS LIFE

French Designer Punished for Com-
 mitting Unwitting Breach of Court
 Etiquette in China.

The preparation of a series of
 stamp designs on behalf of the Chi-
 nese government cost one unfortu-
 nate Frenchman his life, through an
 unwitting breach of the rigid etiq-
 uette of the celestial court, says
 London Tit-Bits. This gentleman,
 R. A. de Villard, was an artist oc-
 cupying a high position in the im-
 perial Chinese customs service, and
 in 1894 was commissioned to execute
 the designs for a series of stamps to
 be issued in commemoration of the
 sixtieth birthday of the dowager
 empress.

On submitting his designs, how-
 ever, he incurred severe censure for
 having employed the abbreviation
 "Imp. Chin. Post" on certain of the
 stamps, in place of the full inscrip-
 tion of "Imperial Chinese Post." Chinese
 custom not permitting of any
 abbreviation of an official title. More
 serious still, in official eyes, was
 his crime of using imperial
 purple in his color scheme, the em-
 ployment of purple being strictly
 forbidden in China except by mem-
 bers of the imperial court.

For some time the fate of the hap-
 less artist trembled in the balance,
 and it was a question whether or not
 he would be beheaded for his uncon-
 scious insult to the throne. Ulti-
 mately he was dispatched upon a for-
 lorn mission to the heart of Tibet,
 amounting practically to a sentence
 of death, since nothing more has
 been heard from him.

L. & N.

Time Card No. 124

Effective Sunday April 30, 1911.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

No. 91—St. L. Express, 5:35 p.

No. 99—Dixie Limited, 10:41 p. m.

No. 95—Dixie Flyer, 9:01 a. m.

No. 66—Hopkinsville Ac. 7:18 a.

No. 53—St. L. Fast Mail 5:33 a.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

No. 92—C. & St. L. Lim., 5:25 a. m.

No. 52—St. Louis Express, 9:53 a. m.

No. 98—Dixie Limited, 7:03 a. m.

No. 94—Dixie Flyer, 6:52 p. m.

No. 56—Hopkinsville Ac. 8:55 p. m.

No. 54—St. L. Fast Mail, 10:12 p. m.

Nos. 95 and 94 will make Nos. 90

Land Sale For State and County Taxes For 1912

I will on Monday, Feb 3rd, 1913, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., at the Court House door, in Hopkinsville, Ky., sell for cash for state and county taxes due, the following lands and town lots, or as much thereof as will pay the taxes due and cost of selling.

LOW JOHNSON,
Sheriff Christian County.

NO. 1 WHITE.

Brame, Guy W., 82 acres land.	10.43
Burke, J. E., 75 acres land.	10.09
Clark, Louisa and F. O., (Lg s)	
250 acres land	63.05
Coleman, O. T. (Lg s), 1 town lot	
land	8.40
Crenshaw, H. C. (Lg s) 1 town lot	
land	15.18
Ezell, W. B. (Lg s) 123 a land	12.52
Farmers Storage Warehouse Co., (G s) 1 town lot.	6.71
Faulkner, J. H. (n r) (G G S)	
1 town lot	3.88
Freeman Mrs S. B. 1 town lot.	5.01
Fuqua, W. J., (L G S) 2 town lots	8.97
Fuqua, Wm. 20 a land.	7.19
Geatts, W. T. (n r) 1 town lot.	6.71
Geatts, J. C., 2 a land.	16.08
Luttrell, D. S. and mother, 120 a land.	15.54
McGehee Bros., 1 town lot.	2.20
McGehee, J. W. (n r) 57 a land	12.43
Mitchell, F. M. (n r) 1 town lot	9.52
Penick, L. R. and wife, 193 a land	65.65
Ricketts, J. E. 60 a land.	64.36
Stewart, J. C. 1 town lot.	5.02
Thweat, D. A., 88 a land.	16.86
Thweat, Mrs. M. A., 312 a land	44.52

NO. 2 WHITE.

Armstead, R. B. for mother 207 a land	40.59
Armstrong, J. H., (n r)	1.96
Bond, J. W. (P G S) 133 a land	30.98
Butler, Jas. F., 131 a land.	77.05
Carneal, E. L., 1 town lot.	12.23
Dickerson, Mrs H. R., adm., 1 town lot.	9.35
Gardner, Chas. N. 6 a land.	6.25
Keatts, J. C., 2 a land.	8.40
Kelly, F. C., 264 a land.	194.15
Kelly, R. H., 313 a land.	164.46
Lander, D. L. (G G S) 145 a land	21.93
Leavell, S. J., (n r) 1 a land.	1.95
McColpin, E. L., 20 a land.	7.95
Morris, Joe (n r) 1-2 a land.	3.23
Morris, W. F., (P. G. S.) 1 town lot	
Willis, Clarence, 1 town lot.	23.08
Radford, W. B., for mother 1 a land	5.69
Settle, Mrs. E. E. (n r) 125 a land	2.50
Slms, Mrs. M. E. 100 a land.	15.80
Townes, Alfred, 1 town lot.	10.13
Wiles, J. R., (F G S) 1 town lot	8.26

NO. 3 WHITE.

Adams, W. T., 56 a land.	10.45
Atkinson, Mrs. Fannie, 100 a lot	2.76
Bailey, W. A. and W. B. (n r) 90 a land	2.43
Bennett, Jennie G., 57 a land.	2.53
Berry, Mrs M. A., 117 a land.	5.80
Bowles, Mrs. Chas. H. 1 town lot	3.90
Boyd, A. F., 220 a land.	24.21
Bradshaw, P. L., 12 3-4 a land	5.93
Brown, Mrs. Ellen 3-4 a land	3.16
Burke, Mrs J. V., 230 a land.	11.02
Benard, H. B., (n r) 8 a land.	4.63
Carlton, J. D., and wife, 138 a land	9.23
Cavanaugh, F. G. (n r) 75 a land	4.11
Clark, Stull, 40 a land	3.23
Clardy, M. L., 60 a land.	15.23
Crick, Hanson, 42 a land.	9.03
Crick, F. G., 50 a land.	5.53
Crick, J. C., 190 a land.	9.13
Crabtree, R. E., 69 a land.	12.58
Crabtree, E. M., 50 a land.	13.14
Crick, Mrs. Sallina, 83 a land.	9.19
Dickerson, H. J., 100 a land.	8.77
Duval, J. R., 80 a land.	10.26
Dulln heirs, 3 0a land.	2.45
Duke, J. F., 21 a land.	10.80
Dukes, G. C., 120 a land.	9.05
Faughnder, J. B., 60 a land.	9.37
Flemmings, Mrs. Nora, 80 a land	4.31
Forbes, J. E., 70 a land	15.26
Fox, Mrs. L. R., 80 a land.	3.93
Fox, Mrs. N. C. (n r) 68 a land	5.53
Gamble, Z. T., 50 a land.	7.95
Gamble, Mrs. S. E., 90 a land	5.13
Harned, C. C., 51 a land.	9.03
Hurt, A. B., 40 a land.	7.29
Hancock, Mrs. Sallie (F G S) 117 a land	4.62
Holt, T. E. (n r) 40 a land.	4.72
Johnson, Mrs Belle, 100 a land	5.33
Jones, Tom, 154 a land.	22.31
Jones, C. C., 96 a land.	1.27
Jones, Chas. D., 3 a land	4.93
Johnson, Fountain, 1 1-2 a land	5.70
King, S. T., 149 a land.	14.67
Knight, W. A., 34 a land.	6.05
King, N. O., heirs, 143 a land	4.45
Littlepage, L. E. (n r) 500 a land	21.39
Long, R. L., 8 a land.	4.93
Manahan, Geo, 100 a land.	14.29
Marquess, Mrs. S. A., 74 a land	5.13
Meacham, Thos. 15 a land.	6.10
McCord, W. C. (n r) 225 a land	11.90

NO. 4 WHITE.

Anderson, R H for wife, 1 town lot	25.33
Blakemore, Mrs McF., 1 town lot	12.92
Bowles, M C., 1 town lot.	4.90
Boyd, Mrs Ann, 1 town lot.	7.84
Bradley, Earle, 1 town lot.	19.92
Broadus, Mrs. C. L., 1 town lot	15.18
Bronaugh, Mrs Jennie (n r) 1 town lot	12.92
Brown, J. P., (n r) 1 town lot.	2.25
Buckner, Upshaw, 1-4 a land.	4.16
Buckner, Upshaw, trustee, 1 town lot	63.17
Cattlett, Chas. 1 town lot.	11.23
Chappell, W. E., 1 town lot.	8.40
Clark & Wallace, 9 town lots.	31.55
Combs, Mrs Susan, 1 town lot	20.82
Edmonds, J. T. for Petersburg Coal Co., 700 a land	100.66
Gossett, T. E., 1 town lot	8.46
Guthrie, W. B., 1 town lot	16.96
Halle, Mrs Ethel, 1 town lot	30.70
Hill, C. H., 1 town lots	10.81
Hooe, John C., 1 town lot	8.17
Humphries, Mrs. May Y., 1 town lot	5.58
Johnston, C. W., 1 town lot	20.81
Jones, Charlie, 21 a land.	5.30
King, L. B., 124 a land	6.49
Lander, Geo. W., 1 town lot	8.70
Ledford, J. A., 1-4 a land	12.19
Ledford, J. A. Grd., 1 town lot	23.65
Ledford, N. W., 1 town lot	5.62
Mayes, W. L., 1 town lot	8.87
Moore, J. J. and wife, 1 town lot	14.60
Morrow, Mrs. T. L., 1 town lot	1.63
Myers, Henry (n r) 1 town lot	14.61
Nelson & Huffman, 1 town lot	12.35
Pelphs, G. W. (n r) 1 town lot	1.63
Rhemau, Geo, 1-4 a land	8.52
Savage, Mrs. Jennie, 1 town lot	36.63
Sypert, Mrs. M. D., 1 town lot	1.63
Talley, E. L., 2 town lots	4.18
Thompson, W. R., 3 town lots	28.73
Townes, Mrs. Lucy A., 1 town lot	5.04
Twyman, Mary F., 1 town lot	9.36
Western, Mrs. Minnie, 2 town lots	16.30
Williams, E. H., 8 town lots.	40.46
Woosley, J. T., (n r) 1 town lot	2.85

NO. 5 WHITE.

Adams, J. T., 176 a land.	25.33
Alexander, E. M., 41 a land	6.41
Alexander, John W., 75 a land.	7.05
Altbrook, Mrs. N. C., 80 a land	4.53
Beshears, John H., 98 a land	7.72
Bowling, G. E., 160 a land	14.51
Bowling, J. A., 140 a land	7.42
Boyd, Mrs. Effie, 210 a land	19.14
Brown, Chas., 5 a land	4.77
Campbell, Mrs. S. L., 10 a land	1.33
Candler, W. B., 7 a land	4.29
Cantrell, J. W., 100 a land	8.40
Cato, E. T., 110 a land	7.99
Clark, J. C., 150 a land	10.48
Cluck, E. B., 50 a land	6.44
Crano, M. T., (n r) 175 a land	3.57
Dillingham, J. M., 113 a land	7.72
Dunning, J. I., 80 a land	3.77
Elli, T. T., 90 a land	7.72
Ford, Mrs. Sarah F., 165 a land	4.25
Forrest, Wm. (n r) 85 a land	3.77
Fowler, J. W., 25 a land	5.57
Fuller, Mrs. Abbie, 108 a land	6.49
Gilkey, J. J., 85 a land	5.8
Glitzer, T. A., 119 a land.	11.79
Gothard, J. A., 5 a land.	7.15
Grant, Mrs. E. V., (n r) 70 a land	2.03
Halle, John W., 250 a land.	10.99

Hamby, F. L., 120 a land	13.26
Hanmonds, T. E., 160 a land	8.57
Hopper, W. T., 136 a land	7.96
Hunsaker, R. H., 120 a land	8.16
Jackson, Mrs. Sarah, 50 a land	2.49
Jackson, Mrs. B. A., 160 a land	7.85
Jenkins, W. L. for wife, 5 0a land	7.73
Jenkins, L. F., 75 a land	7.75
Johnson, Jas. H., 50 a land	9.65
Knight, Puss and Lon, 9 a land	2.96
Knight, Mrs. S. E., 23 a land	1.81
Knight, T. J., 90 a land	9.25
Knight, J. W., 6 3a land	7.17
Ladd, W. T., (n r) 28 a land	3.13
Lantrip, T. W., 180 a land	10.44
Mabry, C. L., 142 a land	7.39
Marquess, J. C., 100 a land	17.83
Marquess, W. E., 149 a land	14.48
McCain, H. O., 100 a land	7.19
McCarroll, John W., 1a land	4.52
McCord, J. T., for W. S. Doss, Est, 134 a land	4.72
Menser, Mrs. T. V., 98 a land	5.16
Menser, Quinn, 266 a land	5.33
Moore, Dr. J. R., 20 a land	2.21
Morgan, J. B., 25 a land	8.18
Miles, J. M., 5 0a land	8.40
McKnight, W. S., 75 a land	7.71
Meacham, Mrs. L. M., 96 a land	8.16
Newsom, Arthur, 175 a land	20.27
O'Leary, F. M. (n r) 75 a land	2.42
Orten, C. B., 8 a land	9.28
Owen, R. E., 82 a land	9.53
Parker, Mrs. Della, 180 a land	8.17
Parson, J. E., 315 a land	12.40
Peden, E. M., 240 a land	25.27
Pollard, R. W., 100 a land	5.24
Pollard, Mrs. Jane, 1 a land	4.63
Pollard, W. T., 75 a land	9.08
Prewett, R. L., 10 a land	6.15
Pryor, W. J., 83 a land	2.49
Pyle, J. H., 100 a land	8.40
Renshaw, J. M., 130 a land	8.63
Reynolds, W. M., 214 a land	25.27
Shepherd, L. A., 25 a land.	35.93
Stevens, J. P. (n r) 120 a land	3.22
Trathen, J. H., (n r) 20 a land	3.75
Tresch, Mrs. N., 34 a land.	2.75
Tribble, J. D., 50 a land	8.40
Turner, R. H., (n r) 386 a land	32.57
Terry, J. D., 75 a land	10.10
Underwood, W. H., 56 a land	5.31
Walker, M. L., 74 a land	6.25
Walker, J. H., 96 a land	6.73
Walker, D. L., 50 a land	6.12
Walker, J. L., 60 a land	9.73
Walkey, W. M., 32 a land	8.99
Woosley, R. J., 21 a land	7.03
Wilson, Joe, 100 a land	12.41
Williams, Mrs. Cora, 75 a land	1.80

NO. 1 COL.

Allison Summers, 3-4 a land	5.69
Anglin Clark, 1 town lot	3.02
Baker, Ben, 1 town lot	5.57
Baker, Pat, 1 town lot	5.61
Bell, Dowlin, 12 a land.	7.36
Booker, R. H., 40 a land	8.99
Bland, Branch, 1-2 a land	6.56
Brame, Annie, 41 a land	7.63
Brice, Young, 1 a land	6.15
Brunty, Tom, 5 a land	4.45
Burkes, John, 1 town lot	2.48
Bush, Abraham, 14 a land	5.91
Campbell, Arthur, 1-2 a land	6.33
Carter, Alex for wife, 4 a land	8.17
Carter, Willis.	8.95
Collins, Wickliff and E. M. Cherry, 15 a land	7.49
Collins, Westley, 1 town lot	3.57
Cox, Willie, 3 1-2 a land.	11.79
Crabb, Geo, 1 town lot.	6.82
Clardy, Rivers, 34 a land	5.50
Carrioss, Garfield, 1 a land	6.25
Dawson, Jim, 1 town lot	4.55
Dawson, Pcte, 1 town lot	3.85
Davis, Margaret, Heirs (n r) 16 a land	2.55
Dillard, Campbell, 6 a land	5.24
Dillard, Irvin, 4 a land	6.31
Dillard, Robt, Sr., 1 a land	4.52
Elliott, Peter, 1-2 a land	3.37
Edmonds, Gilbert, 20 a land	8.79
Flemming, Aggie, 42 a land	5.46
Gaines, Josh, 20 a land	9.36
Garnett, Sam, 5 a land	4.45
Gee, Oliver, 35 a land	12.92
Hardy Rich, 6 a land	9.53
Hodges, Garfield, for wife, 3-4 a land	7.25
Hubbard, Will, 1-2 a land	5.31
Humphries, Wm, 1 town lot	5.01
Hutchenson, Joe, 15 a land	6.59
Kelly, Margaret, 1 town lot	3.32
Knight, Richard, 2 a land	5.71
Landrum, Jas, 3-4 a land	4.22
Lindsay, Tom & Beniah, 3 a land	6.90
Long, Gillie, for Jane Long, 1 a land	5.02
Marlin, Lucy, 1-4 a land	1.40
Mason, Will, for Wallace Heirs 2 a land	7.49
Mason, Amanda, 1 town lot	2.19
McCarty, Aggie, 4 a land	2.41
McCarty, Daniel, 1 a land	1.75
McCarty, Randall, 1-2 a land	5.54
McReynolds, Chas. 1-2 a land.	6.82
McReynolds, Jane, 2 a land	2.41
Milan, Columbus, 1 town lot	2.25
Moore, Joe, 15 a land	8.56
Moss, R. V., 3-4 a land	7.49
Moss, Horace, 1-2 a land	4.55
Nance, Frank, 1 town lot	6.37
Northington, Joe, 1-2 a land.	5.70
Northington, Joe B. 1-2 a land	4.56
Northington, Mary Ive, 1-2 7a land	1.47
Northington, Norman, 1 a land	7.51
Qualls, Andrew, 70 a land	15.0
Qualls, Plg (n r) 71 a land	15.17
Qualls, Richard, 1-2 a land	5.24
Qualls, Richard, Adm., 1-2 a land	1.36
Reese, Charlotte, 1-2 a land	1.75
Ricketts, Sarilda, 1 town lot	1.92
Richards, Lee, (n r) 1 town lot	2.19
Rowlett, Nat, 6 a land	7.37
Russell, M. V. B., 19 a land	5.51

Sharp, Joe, for Zella Garner, 1 town lot	2.99
Slms, Jim, 1 town lot	5.02
Smith, Elijah, 1 town land.	4.56
Stewart, Aaron, 11 a land	4.45
Stewart, Theo, 1 a land	5.73
Tandy, Major 138 a land	37.61
Tandy, W. C., 243 a land	22.30
Tuck & Billingsby, 50 a land.	8.38
Tunley, Geo, 4 a land	6.42
Tunley, John, 45 a land	9.30
Wallace, Albert 8 a land	5.42
Wallace, Coleman 1 a land	7.15
Wallace, Lewis, 2 a land	4.72
Washington, Henry, 2 a land	1.75
Weathers, Ben, 5 a land	7.15
Wilson, Wash, 1 town lot	3.32
Whitlock, John, 1-2 a land	5.69
Wooten, Frank, 1 town lot	6.37
Word, Ben C., 8 a land	6.17
Wright, Edd, 1 a land	7.15
Wright, Randall, 50 a land	10.78
Yates, Fannie, 165 a land.	18.64

NO. 2 COL.

NO. 2. COL.	
Adams, Geo, 1 a land	5.31
Adams, Julia, 1-4 a land	2.49
Allen, Racheal, 1 a land	2.08
Allen, Henry, 1 a land	5.01
Anglin, Wash, 1-4 a land	4.74
Baber, Runall, 1 a land.....	7.99
Bain, Kate, 1-4 a land	2.08
Barnett, Baxter, 1 a land	6.37
Bell, Fred (p g s) 1 town lot.	6.70
Bell, John, 1-2 a land	7.15
Bowling, Henry (p g s) 1-4 a land	4.56
Bronaugh, Ben (p g s) 1 a land	5.01
Bronaugh, Geo. (p g s) 1-4 a land	3.45
Bronaugh, Jack, 1-4 a land ..	5.24
Bronaugh, Jim, No. 2, 1-4 a land	6.37
Brame, Tuck (p g s) 1-2 a land	5.59
Brooks, Horace, 1-4 a land ..	5.73
Bryant, Press, 1-4 a land.....	6.41
Bryant, Will, 1-4 a land	6.37
Burris, John, 2 a land	6.44
Bush, Geo, 1-4 a land	5.25
Brame, John, 1 town lot	4.91
Cason, Bill, 1-4 a land	5.87
Caskey, Ann, 1 a land	2.12
Cattlett, Geo, 1 a land	10.22
Cattlett, Kate, 1 a land	2.42
Clark, J. R., 1-4 a land	4.23
Clark, Cafeh, 1 a land	5.92
Clark, Shelby, 1-4 a land.....	6.44
Clay, Wm. H., 1-4 a land	4.64
Crabb, Doc, 1 a land	6.37
Cross, Bully (p g s) 1 a land	4.56
Dade, Caroline, 1-4 a land	2.08
Davie Kisoal, 1-4 a land	2.12
Duerson, Ivo (p g s) 1-4 a land	4.45
Draughton Pete, 1-4 a land ..	3.91
Edwards, Geo. (n r) 1 a land ..	2.19
Finch, Charlie (p g s) 1-4 a land	2.25
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NO IMPROVEMENT.
In Condition Of Esquire H. B. Clark Yesterday.

At 2:15 yesterday, from Esquire H. B. Clark, a man who has not lived through the war. During his illness he has suffered wonderful pain and the last few days he has been everything going on but has not been able to work at all.

COTTON RAISED BY INDIANS

Seeds and Fragments of Cloth Found in the Villages of the Cliff Dwellers.

The origin, growth and development of the cotton industry in the United States have received considerable attention from historians, ethnologists and statisticians, says the Charleston News and Courier. Much interest has been manifested in the identity and description of the varieties which formed the foundation of the American upland cotton, but only recently has there been a systematic study and analysis of the types of plants which make up the field crops today with a view of accomplishing this object. The fact that cotton was used and of necessity cultivated by the Indians is recorded by several early Spanish explorers, as it has been more recently by many ethnologists. In the villages of the cliff dwellers of Mesa Verde national park numerous fragments of cotton cloth have been unearthed, and in Utah the seeds of the plant itself have been found. Today, among the Hopi Indians of Arizona, the cotton plant is highly esteemed, and its fiber enters into many of their ceremonies, as well as into many practical household activities. It is considered essential by them that all strings employed in religious services be of native cotton.

A LITTLE ONE



"Talk about green servant girls; my wife told ours to put a little nutmeg in the custard she was making this afternoon."

"And she didn't do it?"

"Oh! yes; she put a little nutmeg in, all right. I came near choking over the blessed thing."

SOME HELP.

Mrs. Crimmonbeak—And you know very well that late hours never helped anybody.

Crimmonbeak—Oh, I don't know about that; I see that Dr. Brooks of Geneva discovered a comet at four o'clock the other morning.

EXPLAINED.

Bacon—What do you understand to be a bore?

Egbert—Why, a bore is a man who insists on telling you the smart things his young son says when you want to tell him the smart things you have said yourself.

Notables Invited.

The Tennessee General Assembly invited Senator-elect James, W. J. Bryan and Oscar W. Underwood to address the two Houses in February.

New Notary Public.

Mr. J. E. Saunders, of Laytonsville, has been appointed a notary public for Christian county. Mr. Saunders received his commission yesterday.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 18 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials are free. Price 50 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

FIXING RATES UNDER PARCEL POST SYSTEM

Government Goes Into Business of Transmitting Merchandise Through the Mails.

NEW LAW FULLY EXPLAINED

Country Divided Into Zones and Units for Purpose of Fixing Charges for Carriage—No Package Weighing More Than Eleven Pounds Is Mailable—Anything Properly Wrapped Which Will Not Injure Other Mail May Be Sent.

By EDWARD B. CLARK.

With the coming of the New Year the United States government will enter into a new field of enterprise—the transmittal of merchandise by what is known as the parcel post. For years there has been a demand for such a system of inexpensive transmittal of packages. The camps of favor and disfavor of the parcel post scheme have been about equally divided. Finally at the last session of congress a bill was passed which will put the plan into operation, but only it must be said in little more than an experimental way.

It is the intention of Uncle Sam to move rather slowly in the parcel post matter. He wants to find how popular it will be, how much it will cost the government, and whether there is to be a profit or loss at the end of each year. If it is found that the plan is successful from the point of view of the people, which means the government also, the parcel post will be extended until finally it reaches the proportions which its proponents say they believe it is destined to assume.

Zone System Explained.

It is no exaggeration to say that thousands upon thousands of inquiries have been made of the postmaster general as to just what the parcel post will mean to the people. It was the law of congress establishing the system which made provision for a division of the country into zones and into 85,000 units which are to be used as centers in describing the circles which mark the boundaries of the zones. There has been no clear understanding, apparently, of this zone system, but really it is a very simple matter.

The accompanying map shows the country divided into zones from the unit in which Washington is situated, as the center. Accompanying the map is a table showing the rate of postage per pound for parcels from Washington to places within all the zones.

Each unit contains an area thirty miles square. Now each unit is a center from which the zones are drawn and so every unit in the country no matter where it is situated will have zones drawn from it just exactly as Washington has them drawn from it. For instance, take Keokuk, Ia., which is in a unit in the fifth zone. From that will be drawn circles exactly as they are drawn from Washington and they will be numbered from Keokuk as number one, just as they are numbered from Washington as number one. Of course, however, Zone Six will have a different geographical position as related to Keokuk than it has as related to Washington, but as the radius of the circles drawn from Keokuk is the same length as the radius of the circles drawn from Washington, Keokuk's Zone Six will be just as far from its center as Washington's Zone Six is.

How Rates Are Fixed.

It can be seen from this readily enough that the postal rates from Washington to its particular zone will be the same as the postal rates from Keokuk to its particular zones. Each unit being about thirty miles square will of course contain in most cases a number of postoffices, but each office in the same unit is considered as being the center of the circles from

Parcels weighing four ounces or less are mailable at the rate of one cent for each ounce or fraction of an ounce, regardless of distance. Parcels weighing more than four ounces are mailable at the pound rate, as shown by the following table, and when mailed at this rate any fraction of a pound is considered a full pound.

	1st zone	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
Wt. Lbs.	Local	Zone	zone	zone	zone	zone	zone	zone
1...	\$0.05	\$0.05	\$0.06	\$0.07	\$0.08	\$0.09	\$0.10	\$0.12
2...	.06	.08	.10	.12	.14	.16	.19	.24
3...	.07	.11	.14	.17	.20	.23	.28	.36
4...	.08	.14	.18	.22	.26	.30	.37	.48
5...	.09	.17	.22	.27	.32	.37	.46	.60
6...	.10	.20	.26	.32	.38	.44	.55	.72
7...	.11	.23	.30	.37	.44	.51	.64	.84
8...	.12	.26	.34	.42	.50	.58	.73	.96
9...	.13	.29	.38	.47	.56	.65	.82	1.08
10...	.14	.32	.42	.52	.62	.72	.91	1.20
11...	.15	.35	.46	.57	.68	.79	1.00	1.32

*For a full explanation of the rates of postage in the First Zone see the Parcel Post Guide.

which the zones are drawn. The rates of postage are fixed from the unit in which the sending postoffice is situated, but the price to every place in any zone is just the same. To illustrate, it will cost exactly the same amount to send a parcel from Washington to Erie, Pa., that it costs to send it to Atlanta, Ga., because Erie and Atlanta with reference to Washington are situated in the fourth zone. The rates therefore are fixed from the unit in which the postoffice is located, but they are the same from that office to any point in any one zone.

It will be seen by reference to the table of rates of postage that it will cost more per pound to send a package a long distance than it does to send it a short distance. The rate increases for a package weighing one pound at the rate of one cent for each zone. No package weighing more than 11 pounds can be sent under the new parcel post law. It should be said right here that on the long hauls the parcel post may not be able to compete with the express companies, but that on shorter hauls it can so compete. It was the expressed desire of the legislators and of the postoffice officials that the parcel post system should be made of particular use to persons having farm and factory products to transmit to customers. It is probable that producers must study the rates of postage and the convenience of transmittal and compare them with the cost and convenience under present methods before individually a man can determine whether he is to profit or not by the change. Then there is another thing to be considered and which only can be known definitely when fuller regulations have been made to specify exactly what kind of things can be sent by parcel post. It can be said in a general way that anything can be sent which is properly wrapped and which will not injure other mail matter with which it may come in contact.

Copy Foreign Countries.

It is probable that the government will adopt a means of transportation for certain kinds of its merchandise much like those which have been adopted in parcel post countries abroad. What the English call hampers, basket-like arrangements, probably will be adopted, and as these can be kept separate from the ordinary mail matter it is believed that the regulations as finally adopted will allow the sending of eggs, butter, dressed poultry, live poultry, honey, fruit, and other products of the country.

The 11-pound limit for a single package may work at first against any very extended use of the parcel post for some of the articles which have been named. Of course, more weight can be sent if it is sent in different parcels, but the cost in that case would be heavier because the increase per pound on a single package is not great up to 11 pounds, and probably it would increase at no greater rate if the government were to raise the limit of weight which is now fixed. To make it simpler, it will cost more to send two packages of 11 pounds than it would to send one package of 22 pounds if the government eventually should allow a heavy-

or single package to be carried and should charge in proportion just what it does now for one package of 11 pounds weight.

Every postmaster in the United States will have a parcel post map like the one which is here reproduced except that the zone lines will be shown with the unit of his postoffice as a center. All that a postmaster will have to do when a parcel is presented for transportation is to find out in what zone the destination of the package lies. His table will show him instantly the rate per pound from the unit in which his postoffice lies to the zone of the package's destination, the price as has been explained before, to every postoffice in any one zone being the same. The parcel post will take nothing but fourth-class matter. Printed matter is still in the third-class designation. Therefore books cannot be sent by the parcel post system. This the postoffice authorities seem to think is in a way unjust and may work a hardship. It may be that in the future the law will be changed so as to include all printed matter. It seems to be certain that an attempt will be made to bring about this change as speedily as possible.

Must Bear Stamp.

Postmaster General Hitchcock has ordered that postmasters be advised that parcel post packages cannot be accepted for mailing unless they bear a distinctive parcel post stamp and have attached to them the return card of the sender. A series of distinctive stamps is now in course of preparation for this class of mail as required by the law creating the parcel post system. Consignments of these stamps will be ready for shipment to all postoffices in ample time for the establishment of the new system on New Year's day.

The postoffice department has given instruction to every postmaster in the country to enlighten his patrons as much as possible on the general subject of the parcel post and especially on the use of the special stamps and the necessary attachment of the return card. The law requires that all fourth-class matter mailed after January 1, 1913, without parcel post stamps attached shall be treated as "held for postage" matter. Parcel post packages will be mailable only at postoffices, branch postoffices, lettered and local named stations, and such numbered stations as may be designated by the postmasters.

It has been announced by Postmaster General Hitchcock that nearly 70,000 scales will be required for use in the parcel post system which is to go into effect January 1st. He has accordingly authorized the issuance of bids for that number. Two hundred of the largest postoffices and their branches will be supplied with automatic springless scales. The next class of offices, numbering about 10,000, will be given high grade beam scale, while the four class offices, numbering about 55,000, will be furnished with the best spring balances obtainable, each having a capacity for twenty pounds. These scales will be used by postmasters to determine the amount of postage required on parcel post packages. The fact that many of the postoffices of the country are

now furnished with scales of a limited capacity makes it necessary for the postmaster general to make this very large purchase of scales capable of taking care of the parcel post business. It is understood that this will be the largest single order ever placed for scales.

Rate on Seeds Not Affected.

It should be said that the act of congress which puts a parcel post plan into operation does not in any way affect the postage rate on seeds, cuttings, bulbs, roots, scions and plants as fixed by section 482 of the postal laws and regulations.

The classification of articles mailable as well as the weight limit, the rates of postage, zone or zones and other conditions of mailability under the act of congress, if the postmaster general shall find on experience "that they or any of them are such as to prevent the shipment of articles desirable, or shall permanently render the cost of the service greater than the receipts of the revenue therefrom, he is hereby authorized, subject to the consent of the interstate commerce commission after investigation, to reform from time to time such classification, weight limit, rates, zone or zones or conditions, in order to promote the service to the public or to insure the receipt of revenue from such service adequate to pay the cost thereof."

Through many years different members of the house and senate have been interested in promoting parcel post legislation. Among the men most active in securing the legislation which soon is to go into effect as law are Senator Jonathan Bourne of Oregon, Representatives David J. Lewis of Maryland and William Snider of New York, who has just been elected governor of that state.

To ascertain conditions surrounding the establishment of the parcel post system in places differing widely in size, climate and industries, Postmaster General Hitchcock recently summoned to Washington, to confer with the special parcel post committee, the postmasters of five typical offices. They are William H. Davis, Pittsburg, Pa.; Daniel T. Gerow, Jacksonville, Fla.; M. H. Joster, Wilmington, Del.; E. M. C. Quimby, Suffolk, Va., and Henry N. Bradley, Charlestown, W. Va.

Confer With Postmasters.

The postmasters of the five largest offices in the country have already appeared before the committee, so Pittsburg was represented as being a large first class office, though smaller than any of the greater five, and as being the center of a tremendous manufacturing area. The postmaster of Pittsburg reported that the board of trade of that city has a special parcel post committee, working toward bringing the consumer and producer nearer to each other by the new system. He also said that many of the merchants are planning to have their city deliveries made by parcel post.

Wilmington, Del., represented a large farming and manufacturing district, with Philadelphia, one of the largest offices. Jacksonville is the largest office in Florida, and the outlet for all the mail of the state. It is peculiar in having a special increase of force in winter, the tourist season, and the postmaster said that it was expected that travelers would use the parcel post extensively in sending home five and ten-pound packages of fruit.

Suffolk, Va., and Charlestown, W. Va., are both very small second class offices, one in the tide-water district, with large truck interests; the other far inland in an orchard country, with diversified farm products. The postmasters of both offices reported great interest in the parcel post, and said that they had continual inquiries regarding its scope.

From these postmasters the committee was able to glean a great amount of valuable information, which, added to that gained from the recent hearings in Maryland, puts it in a position to plan the details of the service to the greatest advantage of the producing farmer.

Give Him Time.

"You're a pretty old man to be begin'n'," said the lady to the man at the back door.

"Yes, m'm'am," replied the man with his hat in his hand.

"Have you been begging all your life?"

"Not yit, m'm'am."

LIFE'S STRUGGLE WITH ILLNESS

Mrs. Stewart Tells How She Suffered from 16 to 45 years old—How Finally Cured.

Euphemia, Ohio.—"Because of total ignorance of how to care for myself when verging into womanhood, and from taking cold when going to school, I suffered from a displacement, and each month I had severe pains and nausea which always meant a lay-off from work for two to four days from the time I was 16 years old.

"I went to Kansas to live with my sister and while there a doctor told me of the Pinkham remedies but I did not use them then as my faith in patent medicines was limited. After my sister died I came home to Ohio to live and that has been my home for the last 18 years.

"The Change of Life came when I was 47 years old and about this time I saw my physical condition plainly described in one of your advertisements. Then I began using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I cannot tell you or any one the relief it gave me in the first three months. It put me right where I need not lay off every month and during the last 18 years I have not paid out two dollars to a doctor, and have been blest with excellent health for a woman of my age and I can thank Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for it.

"Since the Change of Life is over, I have been a maternity nurse and being wholly self-supporting I cannot over estimate the value of good health. I have now earned a comfortable little home just by sewing and nursing since I was 52 years old. I have recommended the Compound to many with good results, as it is excellent to take before and after childbirth."—Miss EVELYN ADELIA STEWART, Euphemia, Ohio.

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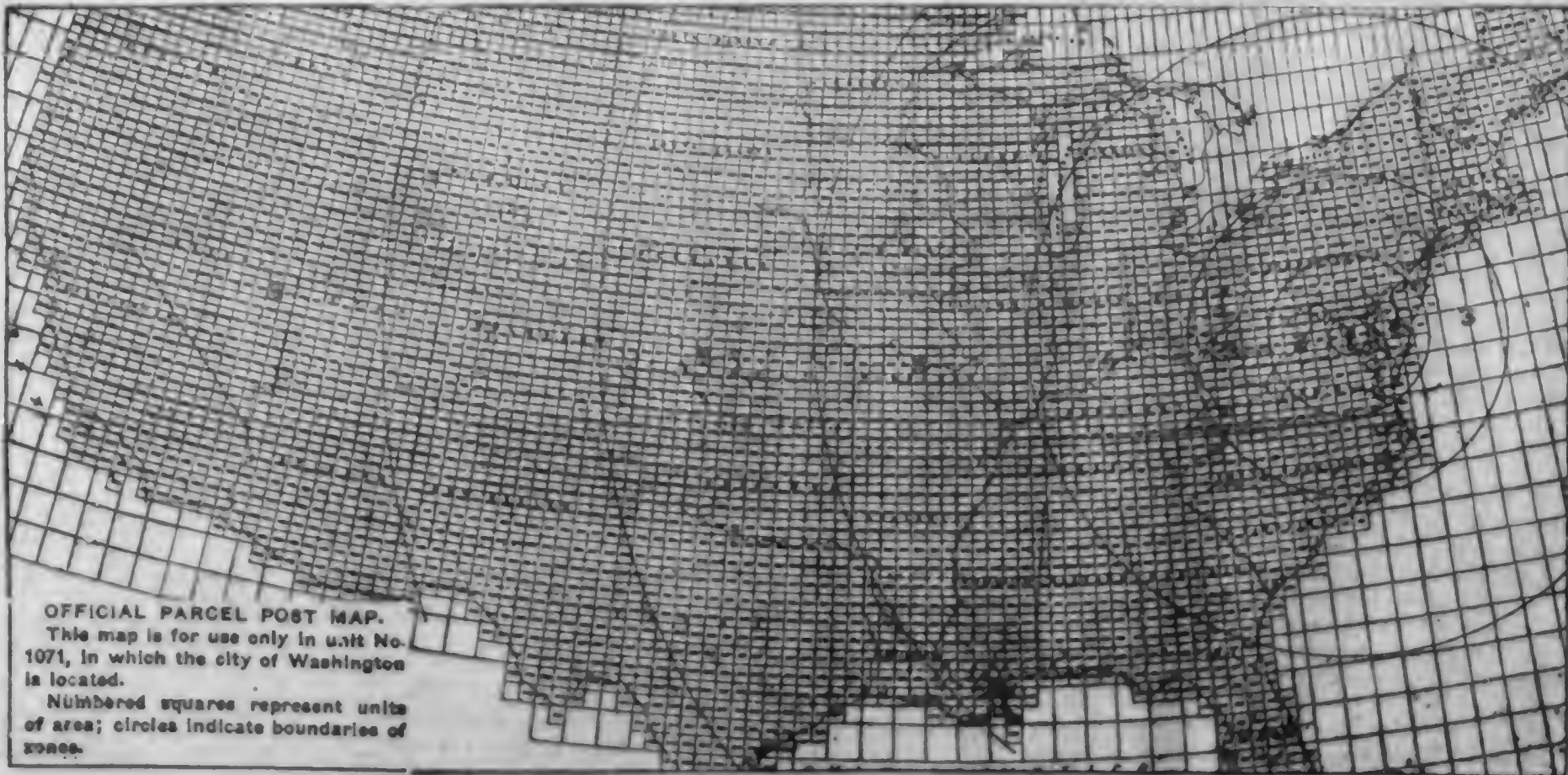
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OFFICIAL PARCEL POST MAP.

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Numbered squares represent units of area; circles indicate boundaries of zones.

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Surplus - - - - \$100,000.00

TELEPHONE RATES

Important Meeting of Fiscal Court Next Tuesday.

The next meeting of the Fiscal Court, February 4th, 1913, will be important to the general public, as the County Telephone Franchise fixing rates outside of the cities and towns of the county will be up for consideration by the Court. A large crowd is expected to be present.

Mrs. Hattie Wilkins Dead.

Mrs. Hattie Wilkins, widow of the late N. B. Wilkins, formerly of this city, died in Memphis last Tuesday. She was about 65 years old and is survived by several children.

DR. BEAZLEY

Specialist

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For School Superintendent.

Prof. H. N. West, of the Perry School District, will be a Democratic candidate for Superintendent of Schools for Christian county in the August primary. Prof. West was educated in the schools of Todd county and at Potter Bible College Bowling Green and at the Normal School in the same city. He has taught school for 20 years or more, the last seven years in this county, for three years as principal of the Fairview school. He expects to formally announce in the near future and make a vigorous canvass.

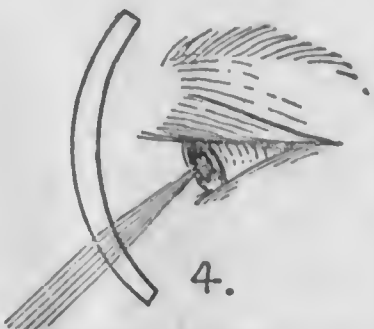
Smithson & Everitt, FUNERAL DIRECTORS.

Fine Crop.

F. B. Waggoner, of North Christian, sold his crop of tobacco this week on the loose flour of Hancock & Jackson at \$5.25 for trash, \$6 for lugs, and \$9.20 for the leaf. A private buyer had made him an offer of \$2 for trash, \$4 for lugs, and \$8 for leaf.

Women Sent To Jail.

The English suffragettes who attempted to rush the door of the House of Commons and many who destroyed property Thursday were sentenced to fourteen days each in jail. They threaten to start a hunger strike.



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If you have Flat lenses and are satisfied we can duplicate them into this new lens without examining the eyes.

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Purely Personal.

Mrs. J. T. Hanbery went to Cadiz yesterday.

Mrs. Will Lafoe and Miss Lucile Baker are the guests of Mrs. John Metcalfe at Hopkinsville.—Princeton Leader.

City Engineer M. G. Moore has returned from a trip of four or five days to Chicago.

Hon. Henry Overstreet, of Owensboro, returned home Thursday after a visit to Col. W. R. Howell.

Mrs. A. C. Burnett, of Cadiz, visited Mrs. Will Kimmons this week.

Warden John B. Chilton, of Eddyville, was here yesterday on business.

An Innovation.

The Anderson-Fowler Drug has equipped each of its eight carrier boys with a handsome hand cart with which to deliver the city dailies. The city has been divided into eight sections and each boy will have section.

Those Bad Spells.

Lebanon, Ky.—Mrs. Minnie Lamb, of this place says: "I believe I would have been dead by now, had it not been for Cardui. I have not had one of those spells since I commenced to use this medicine." Cardui is a specific medicine for the ills from which women suffer. Made from harmless, vegetable ingredients. Cardui is a safe, reliable remedy, and has been successfully used for weak and ailing women for more than fifty years. Thousands of women have been helped back to health and happiness by its use. Why not profit by their experience? A trial will convince you that Cardui is just what you need.

Compassionate Nature.

"I haven't much objection to you personally," said Mr. Cumrox, "but you know my daughter has been accustomed to every luxury." "Well," replied the confident suitor, "I won't ask her to give up anything on my account. I think I could go along and enjoy luxuries as much as anybody."

"ADrift,"

Subject Of Rev. Nourse's Sermon Tomorrow Morning.

Rev. Chas. L. Nourse would be glad to have the young men of the city hear his sermon at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow morning. His theme will be "Adrift," and young men who have aspirations to be something worth while in the world should not fail to be present.

The evening service will be in the hands of the Young People's Endeavor Society. A special musical program has been arranged and everybody is invited to attend.

Lumber For Sale C. R. ADAMS.

Helsley-Barnes.

License for the marriage of Miss Mina Helsley and Mr. Jonah Barnes were issued by the County Clerk last Thursday. Both parties live in the Northern part of the county.

Died In Texas.

Mr. W. B. Woodard, a native of this county, died in Greenville, Tex., a week ago, aged 55 years. He moved from the St. Em neighborhood about 15 years ago.

Pastor Resigns.

Dr. Robert Stewart MacArthur, president of the World's Baptist Alliance, resigned from the pastorate of the Baptist Tabernacle at Atlanta, Ga.

Civic Improvement League.

One of the subjects to be considered by the Civic Improvement League, at its meeting at the Methodist church this afternoon, will be "Parks and Playgrounds." Mrs. Gabe Payne will handle the subject. Other important matters will be discussed and a full attendance is desired.

Died of Peritonitis.

Mrs. J. E. Petrie died last Thursday of peritonitis in the 34th year of her age, at her home between Fairview and Pembroke. She is survived by her husband and one son. Funeral services were held at the Baptist church at Pembroke yesterday. The burial was in Rosedale Cemetery.

Universalist Church.

Services Sunday, both morning and evening. Morning subject: "In What Sense is Jesus a Savior."

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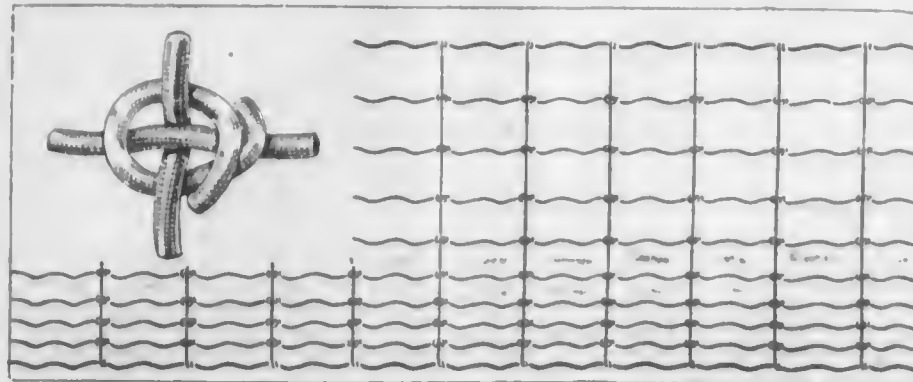
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This Vacuum Washer sucks up five gallons of suds and floods it over the clothes every five minutes.

In twenty minutes your clothes are snowy white and clean. What it does is, actually takes the dirt out, without rubbing, without a washboard, without fuss—\$2.50

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Quick Business Transaction.

While a flock of sheep was being driven along the Glasgow and Carlisle road, near the town of Lockerbie, Scotland, the other day, a motor ran into it, killing three. The motorist at once drew up, inquired as to the cost of the sheep, paid for them, bade the shepherd "Good-day," and went on his way, the whole affair being the work of a few minutes.

A Cash Offer.

The Kentuckian has made a special clubbing rate with The Memphis Weekly Commercial Appeal by which we will furnish both papers for one year for the very low subscription price of \$2.25. The Commercial Appeal is one of the largest and best papers in the South, and we hope to receive more new subscriptions on this offer; \$2.25 cash for both papers.

Advertisement.

Bee Sting Cause of Death.

While the Abbe Genoux, priest of the parish of Plagnes, France, was out walking at Annecy, a bee flew into his mouth and stung him in the back of the throat. The sting brought about acute inflammation and such a swelling of the throat that the priest died of suffocation within 20 minutes, after great suffering.

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at

12,000 yards

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10,000 yards

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6,000 yards

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Corner 8th and Main Streets.

Land Sale For State and County Taxes

(Continued from Page 3)

Stewart, D. S., 3 town lots ..	19.20
State, R. C., 1 town lot	3.40
Shipp, Lee, 1 a. land	3.33
Slaughter, Annie, 1 town lot ..	3.80
Tandy, Annie, 1 town lot	5.58
Terry, Douglass (n r) 1 town lot	4.00
Thomas, Maggie (n r) 1 town lot	3.38
Thomas, Ike 1 town lot	5.87
Torlan, Anthony, 2 a. land	3.45
Turner, Ned for Fannie Dade 1 town lot	1.63
Trice, J. M., 1 town lot	6.15
Tyler, Wm. for Lizzie Nourse 1 town lot	2.76
Tyler, Wm. for Payne Helms 2 a. land	3.42
Tandy, Maggie (n r) 1 town lot	4.00
Trice, Gum, 1 town lot	6.15
Vaughn, Joseph, E., 1 town lot	7.27
Vaughn, Laura, J., 1 town lot	9.87
Vaughn, for Bronaugh Helms 1 town lot	3.89
Vaughn, Geo. Sr. Helms 1 town lot	3.33
Warder, Louise, 1 town lot ..	5.61
Watt, Francis, 1 town lot	2.48
Warfield, Lucy B., 1 town lot ..	6.71
Washington, Rachel, 1 town lot	2.19
Whitlock, Ella (n r) 1 town lot	3.89
White, Wes, 1 town lot	5.58
Wilcox, Clarence and others 1 town lot	5.01
Williams, John W., 1 town lot ..	7.27
Wilson, Dave, 1 town lot	5.01
Wright, Ida, 1 town lot	1.29
Watson, Edd, 2 town lots	6.15
Wilson, Frank 1 town lot	4.11
Withers, Jordan, 1 town lot	3.42

NO. 5 COL.

Buckner, Anna J., 29 a. land ..	5.58
Bingham, Willis, 37 a. land	7.95
Coleman, Jas., 1-4 a. land	6.36
Dillard, Evans, 4 a. land	5.58
Dunn, Sinda, 3 1-2 a. land	6.49
Flemming, Ann, 100 a. land	17.44
Goodman, A., 24 a. land	5.25
Hawkins, John 2 town lots	5.01
Irvin, Bird, 12 a. land	4.71
Irvin, Bird, for wife, 7 a. land ..	1.40
Irvin, Walker, 1 a. land	5.70
Johnson, Mack, 1 a. land	4.57
Larkin, Dave, 30 a. land	6.05
McKinney, Love, 80 a. land	10.52
Mimms, Park, 37 a. land	4.99
Moody, Jack, 1-4 a. land	5.35
Moore, J. H., 3-4 a. land	4.24
Murrell, John, 80 a. land	7.23

Owen, Mrs. Henry, 130 a. land ..	4.63
Piercy, Edd, 9 a. land	4.37
Shelby, Charlie, 108 a. land ..	15.96
Summers, Enoch, Est. 60 a. land	6.47
Summers, J. H., 125 a. land	12.01
Stanley, E. L., 1-2 a. land	7.56

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Fewer divorces.
The White Way.
Open-air concerts.
The Federal Court.
Cleaner back yards.
Lower insurance rates.
A big revival of religion.
Baking up the B. M. A.
An old-time county fair.
Painting the court house.
An increase of population.
A handsome library building.
A new I. C. passenger station.
Less politics and more business.
A ball team that can play ball.
Less kicking and more pulling.
All the tobacco sold here possible.
That \$75,000 post office building.
Everybody to boost Hopkinsville.
At least a traction line to the Western Hospital.
Slower driving at Ninth and Main.
Better gas and better street lights.
That big office building near the I. C. depot.
Virginia and Peace Parks beautified.
An extension of the turnpike system.
Advertising the town by the merchants.
A share of that \$3,000,000 to be spent by the I. C. railroad in putting down a new track leading out of the city.

Made His Blessing Retroactive.
The father of a family who had been striving to bring up his children in the way they should go was very much annoyed at his son's uncouth habit of helping himself to a few bites before grace had been said. The stereotyped form called for: "A blessing on what we are about to eat," but one occasion being particularly exasperating, he astounded the young man by adding to his petition, "and on that which has already been eaten."

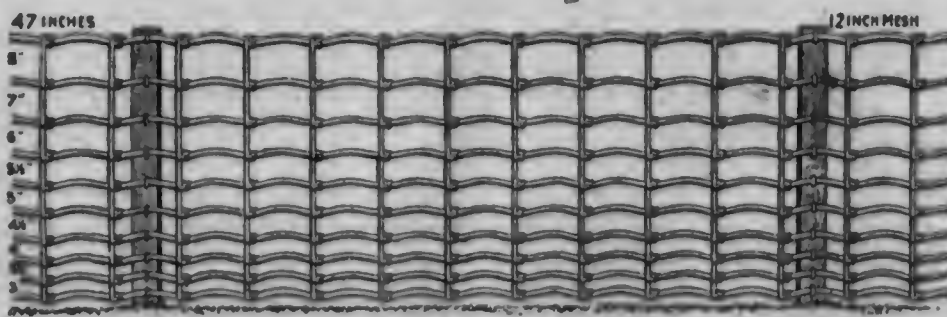
Ham sacks for sale at this office.

Farmers' Fence Opportunity

Though there has been marked advances in fence and fence products, in order to protect our trade, we filled our warehouse with a large supply before the advance and are able to offer you the usual good prices on this staple and important product.

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Egg Cutlets.—Chop up three hard-boiled eggs very fine and mix with this two tablespoons bread crumbs, one tablespoon grated cheese, a half gill curry sauce, one tablespoon cream and the yolk of one egg. Shape into small cutlets of half inch, flour, egg and bread crumbs, then fry; then drain well and serve, garnished with fried parsley.

Coquilles d'eggs.—Moisten some anchovy butter with sufficient good white sauce to bring it to the proper consistency; then stir into this some sliced hard-boiled eggs; place this mixture in well buttered shells, sprinkle the top of each shell with bread crumbs and, if liked, a little grated cheese; dot tiny pieces of butter over the surface and heat in the oven. For the anchovy butter, wash, bone and pound four anchovies; rub this up smoothly with from two to two and a half ounces of butter and use. Shrimp butter is also excellent used in the same way.

Oeufs Mollets.—Break some fresh eggs into a pan of boiling water and simmer them gently for five minutes, after which lift them out very carefully and place them in cold water for ten minutes. Have ready some small fire-proof dishes, place an egg in each, pour a little tomato sauce over and around them and just put them in the oven till thoroughly hot, and serve.

Oeufs a la Maitre d'Hotel.—Butter a fire-proof dish, dust it with a seasoning of salt and red pepper and sprinkle some finely chopped mushrooms on this; then slip four whole eggs into this dish, being careful not to break them; season with salt and freshly ground black pepper and pour a spoon of cream over each; then place in the oven till the eggs are set. Pass a red-hot shovel or salamander over them to color them, and serve.

Oeufs a la Creole.—Cook a pan of tomatoes with one green pepper (shredded) until the tomato is reduced by half, then pour it on to five rounds of buttered toast and place on each of these a poached egg and keep hot. Meanwhile melt one ounce of butter in a pan over the fire and let it color; then add a tablespoon of either lemon juice or vinegar; let it all come just to the boil and pour it over the eggs, seasoning them with salt and pepper.

Rice and Mushroom Croquettes.—Peel and cut one-half of a pound of mushrooms into small pieces, add two tablespoons of butter and simmer, covered, for half an hour. Add one-half of a cupful of well-washed rice, one tablespoonful of finely chopped onion, one-half teaspoonful of salt, one-quarter of a teaspoonful of white pepper and one pint of water, and simmer until the rice is tender. More water may be added if necessary to keep from burning. When done, stir in two well-beaten eggs; take quickly from the fire, add one tablespoonful of finely chopped parsley and put away until cold and firm. Form into small croquettes, dip each into slightly beaten egg, roll in fine crumbs and fry in smoking hot fat.

Date Charlotte.

Half a pound of good dates, one cupful and a half of water, three tablespoonfuls of honey, the strained juice of one orange, a few drops of red coloring, one heaping tablespoonful of gelatin and two cupfuls of whipped cream. Take the stones out of the dates. Put the water, honey and gelatin into a saucepan, then add the dates, cut in halves, the orange juice and the red coloring. Cook slowly until the dates are soft. Pour into a wet ring mold and set away in a cool place. Turn out when set and serve with the whipped cream in the center.—Marion Harris Nell.

White Cake.

Cream four ounces of erisco or other shortening with one and one-half cups of finest granulated sugar and one-half teaspoon salt, add water and flour alternately, using altogether three-fourths cup of water and three cups of cake flour which has been sifted with three level teaspoonfuls baking powder. Add last the whites of six eggs beaten until stiff, and flavor with one teaspoon vanilla. Bake in two layers, placing the tins in a cool oven, and gradually increase the heat. Put together with any icing desired.

Walnut Wafers.

Cream one-half cupful butter and add gradually, while beating constantly, one cupful of sugar. Then add two eggs, well beaten, two squares of chocolate, melted, one cupful of chopped English walnut meats, one-fourth teaspoonful of salt, one-half teaspoonful of vanilla and two-thirds cupful of bread flour. Drop by teaspoonfuls on a buttered tin sheet, about two inches apart, and bake in a moderate oven.

Yankee Crout.

Slice one-half of a head of a good, solid cabbage and three medium-sized onions; put into a small agateware kettle, add one cup of vinegar, one teaspoon of salt, lard the size of a walnut (beef drippings are preferable if you have them), a good sprinkling of pepper; cover with boiling water and cook two hours.

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